

Subject: Fwd: GSA-2018-000114 (PACEI Request)
Date: Thu, 4 Jan 2018 13:22:55 -0500
From: Duane Fulton - H1FA <duane.fulton@gsa.gov>
To: Duane Smith <duane.smith@gsa.gov>
Message-ID: <CAAj5k9-wjbHb349gDdj+tyF9qXndEs-chDca7Rw12MbxP097kg@mail.gmail.com>
MD5: d83513ec13616a06cca9defce83f29da

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From: GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov>
Date: Thu, Jan 4, 2018 at 1:16 PM
Subject: Re: GSA-2018-000114 (PACEI Request)
To: Ezra Rosenberg <(b) (6)>
Cc: Jon Greenbaum <(b) (6)>

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From: duane.fulton@gsa.gov [mailto:duane.fulton@gsa.gov] **On Behalf Of** GSA FOIA
Sent: Thursday, January 4, 2018 1:06 PM
To: Ezra Rosenberg <(b) (6)>
Subject: GSA-2018-000114 (PACEI Request)

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Hi D1-

Happy New Year. The President last night ended the Presidential Advisory Committee on Election Integrity (PACEI).

I recommend we follow up with the requesters for the subject FOIAs and ask if they still want the records.

I recommend sending an email stating the following:

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Subject: Re: GSA-2018-000041 (PACEI Request)
Date: Thu, 4 Jan 2018 20:37:47 -0500
From: Samuel Levine (b) (6) >
To: GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov>, duane.fulton@gsa.gov
Message-ID: <CAPwndBqmmanYwy8O+AyeWZgi1oHtbTTZ9JzPveDCsdm4px2L_A@mail.gmail.com>
MD5: 5497fa78cd58d7c5f3d81d441b3f88a2

Please confirm receipt of this email and that this request is not cancelled. Thanks!

On Thu, Jan 4, 2018 at 1:05 PM, Samuel Levine <(b) (6)> wrote:

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On Thu, Jan 4, 2018 at 1:03 PM, GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov> wrote:

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Sam Levine
Reporter | HuffPost
[212 402 7250](tel:2124027250) (desk)

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From: GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov>
To: Duane Smith <duane.smith@gsa.gov>, Travis Lewis - H1C <travis.lewis@gsa.gov>
Message-ID: <CAJDHzSfe-XPiyeD8ngiBC7yKCF_p3S3A4ZE721PSzDTp19WxxA@mail.gmail.com>
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Date: Thu, Jan 4, 2018 at 1:01 PM
Subject: Re: GSA-2017-001321 (PACEI Request)
To: GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov>

Thank you for reaching out. We are still interested in this FOIA request.

Best,

Cerissa Cafasso
Counsel
American Oversight

(b) (6)

FOIA: GSA-17-0225

On Jan 4, 2018, at 12:53 PM, GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov> wrote:

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Subject: Re: FOIA Request No. 2018-000114 & 2018-000118
Date: Thu, 4 Jan 2018 13:40:23 -0500
From: Travis Lewis - H1F <travis.lewis@gsa.gov>
To: Duane Smith <duane.smith@gsa.gov>
Cc: Dave Simmons <david.simmons@gsa.gov>
Message-ID: <CAADcavoE+uzR6kOSMwrymjo-EXTdpzh_BR4NcYav_6rMSt_sMw@mail.gmail.com>
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Sounds good thanks Duane. I will shoot out an invite on our calendars. I have a directors meeting that should wrap up right at 3. I will set our call from at 3:15 eastern time.

Travis Lewis
Director
GSA, OAS, Office of Freedom of Information Act and Records Management
O: 202-219-3078 C: (b) (6)

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On Thu, Jan 4, 2018 at 1:38 PM, Duane Smith <duane.smith@gsa.gov> wrote:

Lets do it Tuesday during Office Hours.

On Thu, Jan 4, 2018 at 1:36 PM, Travis Lewis - H1F <travis.lewis@gsa.gov> wrote:

Good afternoon Duane,

I hope you are feeling better.

Thank you for sending this notice and for the update. Duane Fulton is sending out this notice to our FOIA requesters who have open requests with us on this topic still pending.

Also, received a call from one of my Records Management team-members, Dave Simmons, today inquiring on a plan moving forward to ensure that we properly work with OGP and any other applicable offices, to ensure the collection, management, storage and eventual transition of all these PACEI records to NARA. Knowing the visibility of this committee, and the involvement and oversight that you have had while it was ongoing, we want to include you in on this discussion as we flush out a framework for this Records Management plan for the PACEI records.

Is there a good time early next week that I can come down to your office and we can call in Dave to discuss this process? (He works out of the Region 5 office, so we will have to do a call to include him).

I'm available any time Monday morning, or Tuesday between 10:30 and 1pm or 3 to 4. We could do this call at 3pm Tuesday during our normal weekly FOIA office hours as well.

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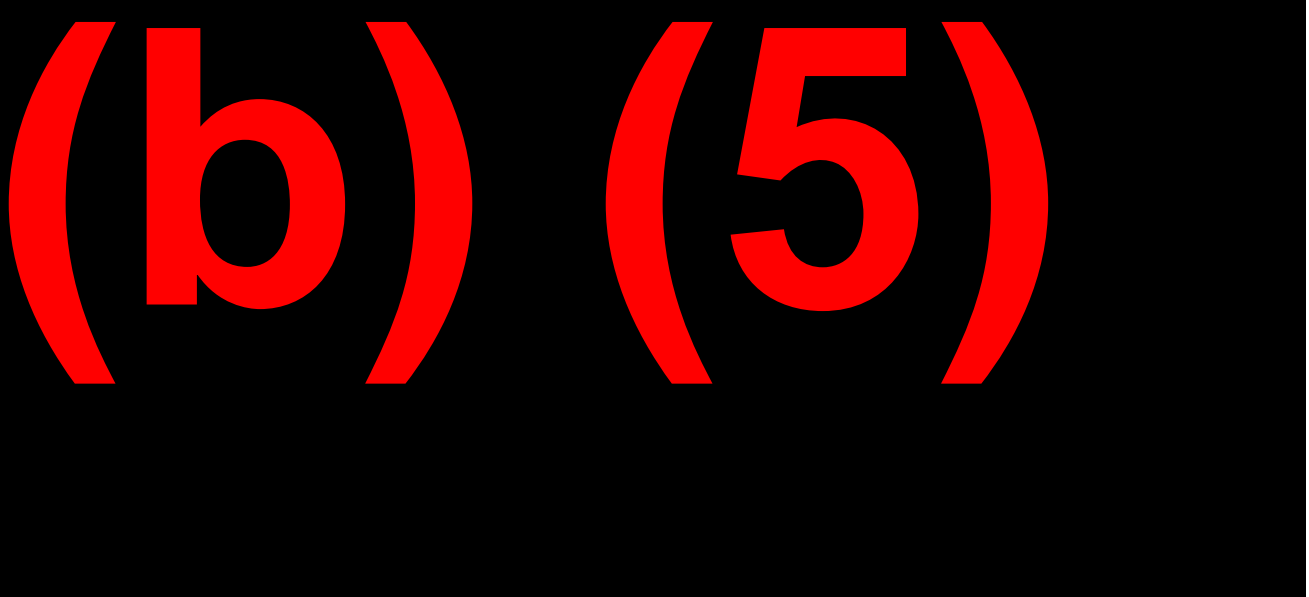
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Date: Thu, 4 Jan 2018 11:46:54 -0500
From: Duane Smith <duane.smith@gsa.gov>
To: Virginia Wills - M1AK <virginia.wills@gsa.gov>
Cc: Alexander Kurien - M1A <alexander.kurien@gsa.gov>
Message-ID: <CAF4DEMxVNxUEMYS-OwTD=HwDEVkyGu1Xq0rocQ747m+NiNy9=g@mail.gmail.com>
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Hi Guys-



On Wed, Jan 3, 2018 at 10:53 PM, Virginia Wills - M1AK <virginia.wills@gsa.gov> wrote:

Hi Alex,

The Committee will officially terminate under the Presidential Executive Order. Will wait until it is published in the Federal Register and read the details.

Because it's under the Presidential Records Act, the DFO will need to work with NARA PRA staff to officially box up the Commission records (emails; minutes and attachments; rosters; etc.) and transfer all records to NARA.

Duane may be able to advise next steps for the PRA records better than I. However, they will not be transferred to GSA.

Best,

M. Virginia Wills
General Services Administration
Office of Government-Wide Policy
Committee Management Secretariat
[202-501-3851](tel:202-501-3851)

On Jan 3, 2018, at 8:04 PM, Alexander Kurien - M1A <alexander.kurien@gsa.gov> wrote:

Dear Duane and Virginia,

Good evening!

What does this mean for us? Need your guidance. Thank you.

Best Regards,
Alex



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To: virginia.wills@gsa.gov, Alexander Kurien - M1A <alexander.kurien@gsa.gov>, lolelei.kowalski@gsa.gov, giancarlo.brizzi@gsa.gov
Subject: FYI. [NYTimes.com](http://www.nytimes.com): Trump Disbands Commission on Voter Fraud

From The New York Times:

Trump Disbands Commission on Voter Fraud

The president signed an order to end the White House commission even though he said there was "substantial evidence of voter fraud," which experts say is rare.

<https://www.nytimes.com/2018/01/03/us/politics/trump-voter-fraud-commission.html>

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No, please do NOT administratively close out this request. I literally *just* contacted you, via email and phone, to ask about its processing because I still want the information.

From: duane.fulton@gsa.gov [mailto:duane.fulton@gsa.gov] On Behalf Of GSA FOIA
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To: Josh Israel <jisrael@americanprogress.org>
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Sam Levine

Reporter | HuffPost

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Date: Thu, 4 Jan 2018 13:06:31 -0500
From: GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov>
To: Duane Smith <duane.smith@gsa.gov>, Travis Lewis - H1C <travis.lewis@gsa.gov>
Message-ID: <CAJDHzSdmFe=Wt8r+o_xow3YuoMO6KPrBi5DvfQ=165+bMmG95g@mail.gmail.com>
MD5: ce9d3fb2fdd6fe66f25d0197f6fd1c09

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From: Jessica Huseman <(b) (6)>
Date: Thu, Jan 4, 2018 at 1:03 PM
Subject: Re: GSA-2018-000018 (PACEI Request)
To: GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov>

I am still interested in this information. Please continue to gather the documents.

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Jessica Huseman

Reporter, ProPublica

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From: <duane.fulton@gsa.gov> on behalf of GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov>
Date: Thursday, January 4, 2018 at 12:02 PM
To: Jessica Huseman (b) (6) >
Subject: GSA-2018-000018 (PACEI Request)

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Subject: Re: GSA-2018-000018 (PACEI Request)
Date: Thu, 4 Jan 2018 13:07:11 -0500
From: Duane Smith <duane.smith@gsa.gov>
To: GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov>
Cc: Travis Lewis - H1C <travis.lewis@gsa.gov>
Message-ID: <CAF4DEMxOA1UTDQFDJ7EXWYHwd=Ku_rM5ufED9HrJLu24REnP5g@mail.gmail.com>
MD5: 0bcc71dd6874f99852af6807ec32ccbd

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Date: Thursday, January 4, 2018 at 12:02 PM

To: Jessica Huseman <(b) (6)>

Subject: GSA-2018-000018 (PACel Request)

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Subject: Re: FYI. NYTimes.com: Trump Disbands Commission on Voter Fraud
Date: Thu, 4 Jan 2018 11:49:13 -0500
From: Alexander Kurien - M1A <alexander.kurien@gsa.gov>
To: Duane Smith <duane.smith@gsa.gov>
Cc: Virginia Wills - M1AK <virginia.wills@gsa.gov>
Message-ID: <CALMb4+-jUnm5hVfsGvacHfvAHYBwgPTMg8Dm5YeW3O3KgppWsw@mail.gmail.com>
MD5: 2ee5eac67caab597bd4e71d567e4fa36

Thank you, Duane! Excellent recap of outcome and actions.

I believe Virginia already reached out to Andrew about records transfer to NARA.

Best Regards,
Alex



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On Jan 4, 2018, at 11:46 AM, Duane Smith <duane.smith@gsa.gov> wrote:

Hi Guys-

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On Wed, Jan 3, 2018 at 10:53 PM, Virginia Wills - M1AK <virginia.wills@gsa.gov> wrote:

Hi Alex,

The Committee will officially terminate under the Presidential Executive Order. Will wait until it is published in the Federal Register and read the details.

Because it's under the Presidential Records Act, the DFO will need to work with NARA PRA staff to officially box up the Commission records (emails; minutes and attachments; rosters; etc.) and transfer all records to NARA.

Duane may be able to advise next steps for the PRA records better than I. However, they will not be transferred to GSA.

Best,

M. Virginia Wills
General Services Administration
Office of Government-Wide Policy
Committee Management Secretariat
[202-501-3851](tel:202-501-3851)

On Jan 3, 2018, at 8:04 PM, Alexander Kurien - M1A <alexander.kurien@gsa.gov> wrote:

Dear Duane and Virginia,

Good evening!

What does this mean for us? Need your guidance. Thank you.

Best Regards,
Alex



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From: Jonathan Clinton - M <jonathan.clinton@gsa.gov>

Date: January 3, 2018 at 7:47:12 PM EST

To: virginia.wills@gsa.gov, Alexander Kurien - M1A <alexander.kurien@gsa.gov>, lorelei.kowalski@gsa.gov, giancarlo.brizzi@gsa.gov

Subject: FYI. [NYTimes.com](http://nytimes.com): Trump Disbands Commission on Voter Fraud

From The New York Times:

Trump Disbands Commission on Voter Fraud

The president signed an order to end the White House commission even though he said there was "substantial evidence of voter fraud," which experts say is rare.

<https://www.nytimes.com/2018/01/03/us/politics/trump-voter-fraud-commission.html>

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Subject: GSA-2017-001401 - Partial Release
Date: Thu, 4 Jan 2018 11:17:57 -0500
From: GSA FOIA <gsa.foia@gsa.gov>
To: (b) (6)
Bcc: duane.smith@gsa.gov
Message-ID: <CAJDHzScgc7eu1r8S2-dephYaWkDORWBaLPQUyd0gk5jqsm7AEQ@mail.gmail.com>
MD5: 4d3a04dba137f41951f7bf19a2d8477a
Attachments: 001401 - Final RL - 1st Rolling Release.pdf ; 001401 - RD-3-RR.pdf ; 001401 - RD-5-UR.pdf

Good morning Ms. Weiser: This is an initial partial response to your U.S. General Services Administration (GSA) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request (GSA- 2017-001401) submitted on July 25, 2017 in which you requested the following:

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2. All communications and documents regarding use of the following databases for any purpose related to the Presidential Advisory Commission on Election Integrity, whether by any employee of DHS or by any commissioner, officer, agent, employee, or assignee of the Presidential Advisory Commission on Election Integrity:

- a. The Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlements ("SAVE") program;
- b. The National Security Entry-Exit Registration Systems ("NSEERS") program;
- c. Any cross-state voter database programs, including but not limited to the Electronic Registration Information Center ("ERIC") and Interstate Voter Registration Crosscheck ("IVRC") program;
- d. Any list, program, or other resource that contains or can be used to determine the citizenship status of any individual;
- e. Any other federal database for the purpose of matching, verifying, or investigating information on voter registration lists, including all lists to which the Commission was granted access.

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Date: Thu, 4 Jan 2018 12:17:39 -0500
From: Duane Smith <duane.smith@gsa.gov>
To: Duane Fulton - H1AB <duane.fulton@gsa.gov>
Cc: Travis Lewis - H1ABA <travis.lewis@gsa.gov>
Message-ID: <CAF4DEMVm6aH+HB2bGQKm4mZf=DTdcQSpAvjPbQ-71iAR795hyQ@mail.gmail.com>
MD5: bfa642d545af1d0ffd90f5bf8ce57efa

Hi D1-

Happy New Year. The President last night ended the Presidential Advisory Committee on Election Integrity (PACEI).

I recommend we follow up with the requesters for the subject FOIAs and ask if they still want the records.

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